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SUBJECT: FURTHER ALLEGATIONS ABOUT RFE AND RL

REF WARSAW 619 (NOTAL), WARSAW 218 (NOTAL)

1. ZYCIE WARSZAWY ON FEBRUARY 7 PUBLISHED ANOTHER LONG ARTICLE WITH FURTHER ALLEGATIONS CONCERNING ALLEGED DIVERSIONARY AND INTELLIGENCE ACTIVITIES OF RFE AND RL. ASIDE FROM REHASHING THE MINARIK STORY AND ALLEGATIONS OF THE RADIOS' PAST AND CONTINUING LINK WITH THE CIA, THE ARTICLE CHARGES THAT THE RADIOS THEMSELVES HAVE "SERVICES" DIRECTLY ENGAGED IN BUGGING AND WIRETAPPING ON FRG TERRITORY AND THAT THEY HAVE
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TIVES. THE ARTICLE CONTENDS THAT "ANTI-POLISH" ELEMENTS IN THE CSU ARE ASSISTING BOTH RFE AND RL IN SPREADING "ANTI-POLISH" PROPAGANDA. IT ALSO CLAIMS THAT RFE HAS UNLIMITED ACCESS TO WEST GERMAN INTELLIGENCE FILES. CITING THE WROBLEWICZ AFFAIR (WARSAW 218), IT MAKES CLEAR THE EARLIER INSINUATION ABOUT RFE EMPLOYEE JOZEF JAKSINSKI'S ROLE, ALLEGING THAT HE WAS USED BY CSU AUTHORITIES AS AN INSTRUMENT IN THE "ILLEGAL, PROVOCATIVE" ARREST LAST NOVEMBER OF WROBLEWICZ AND BUTKIEWICZ.

2. DRAWING HEAVILY ON A JANUARY 31 PRAVDA ARTICLE, THE ZYCIE WARSZAWY ARTICLE BRANDS RFE-RL ACTIVITIES AS VIOLATIONS OF THE UN CHARTER AND THE CSCE FINAL ACT. IT CONCLUDES BY QUESTIONING THE FRG POLICY OF CONTINUING TO EXTEND THE LICENSES OF THE RADIOS, ARGUING THAT FRG TOLERANCE OF THE RADIOS VIOLATES THE FRG CONSTITUTION.

3. THE COMMENTARY IS SIGNED ZIBIGNIEW WOLSKI, WHOSE INITIALS CORRESPOND WITH THOSE APPEARING PREVIOUSLY UNDER THE PURPORTED INTERVIEWS OF WROBLEWICZ AND BUTKIEWICZ (WARSAW 218). WE WILL POUCH A TRANSLATION TO THE DEPARTMENT, BONN, MOSCOW, AND MUNICH.
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